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A Newsletter for Faculty and Staff

“ANNIE GET YOUR GUN” OPENS AT THE BEAN-BROWN THEATRE

Annie Get Your Gun opens at the Bean-Brown Theatre on July 30. Performances are scheduled through August 8.

Evening performances of ANNIE GET YOUR GUN are at 7:30 p.m. with Wednesday and Sunday matinees beginning at 2 p.m. Ticket prices are \$12 for adults, \$10 for seniors, and \$8 for students. Discounts are available for groups of 15 people or more. Tickets may be purchased by calling Theatre Tuscaloosa box office, 391-2277, or from the box office in person beginning July 19.

ANNIE GET YOUR GUN first opened on Broadway in 1946 to rave reviews. The production starring Ethel Merman as Annie was the first new show from Irving Berlin in over six years. Critics of the day said that Irving Berlin had outdone himself with the music. They also agreed they could not pick a hit tune because all of the tunes were hits.

ANNIE GET YOUR GUN has currently been revived on Broadway starring Bernadette Peters and Tom Wopat and is playing to capacity audiences. ANNIE GET YOUR GUN is the story of Annie Oakley, born Phoebe Ann Mosey in Ohio in 1860. Annie is known as the best shot around and supports her little brother and sisters by selling the game she hunts. When she's discovered by Colonel Buffalo Bill, he persuades the young sharpshooter to join his Wild West Show. Annie Signs on and immediately falls head over heels in love with the dashing shooting ace Frank Butler, who headlines the show. Soon Annie eclipses Butler as the main attraction. Eventually love wins out for the couple.

Directed by Michael Carr, ANNIE GET YOUR GUN has a cast of over 40 people. Celeste Burnum plays Annie Oakley. Burnum, a Tuscaloosa native, has theatre credits that span the country. Recently, she completed her second production of ALWAYS ...PATSY CLINE at the Alabama Shakespeare Festival in Montgomery. Rebecca Tingle is the choreographer for the show, and Mike Taylor is the musical director. Scenic and lighting designer is Jesse Tilton, and costumer is Daryl Harris.

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DIAL M FOR MURDER

SPONSORED BY BUFFALO ROCK PEPSI, THE CLASSIC MOVIE, DIAL M FOR MURDER,

WILL PLAY July 22-27 AT THE BAMA Theatre as part of the Silver Screen Movie Series. For more information call the Arts Council at 758-8083. General Admission is \$5 and \$4 for seniors and children. ENJOY THE CLASSIC MOVIES!

SHELTON AND TUSCALOOSA RUNNERS CLUB SPONSOR MILLENNIUM SUNDOWN RUN

Shelton State Community College and the Tuscaloosa Runners Club will sponsor the **Millennium Sundown Run** on Thursday, July 22, at the college. The event will be a one-mile road race with age groups and open heats. The race will be held on asphalt, and will start and finish at the western end of the Shelton State Martin Campus.

According to Rickey Harrison, chair of the planning committee for the event, this race is unique for two reasons. "This is the first time for anyone in Tuscaloosa to sponsor a one-mile race as the primary event. In the past, a one-mile fun run has sometimes been held as part of a 5K or 10K race. However, this is the first time for a one-mile main event to be held," said Harrison.

"This race is also unique because it gives people of all ages and abilities the chance to compete," Harrison added.

"There will be opportunities for everyone. We hope to have people ranging in age groups from elementary school children to senior citizens participating."

There are divisions for male and female entries in the Elementary, Junior High, High School, (Ages 18-24), (Ages 25-40), (Ages 41-45), (Ages 46-50), (Ages 51+) and Open division. Cash prizes will be given in the Open Division for male and female: First Place - \$100; Second Place - \$75; Third Place - \$50. First, Second, and Third Place winners in all other divisions for male and female entries will receive trophies.

The cost during early registration is \$10 per heat. Registration the day of the race is \$15 per heat. Registration will begin at 4:30 p.m. The first heat is scheduled for 5:30 p.m. with heats following every 10 minutes. The awards ceremony will begin at 8 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

According to Shelton State President Tom Umphrey, this is another opportunity for the community to become involved with an event at the college. "This is a chance for the people of West Alabama to come out and participate in a fun event at Shelton State Community College. As a community college, we believe our role is to serve the people of this area. This Millennium Sundown Run gives everyone, children, college students, young adults, and senior citizens, the chance to participate," Umphrey said.

To register or for more information on the Sundown Millennium Run, call 391-2221 or 391-2252, or the Wellness Center, 391-2994.

FACES 'N PLACES

* Ten ministers from the West Alabama area recently attended a breakfast hosted by the college at the C.A. Fredd Campus. The purpose of the breakfast was to identify needs and find out how the college can better serve the community.

Dave Sanders and several of his students discussed some of the community projects the carpentry program has been involved with. There will be more information on this group as the summer progresses.

* Don't forget that Star Days are scheduled this month for July 21, 22, and 28. Telephone registration for Fall semester is July 26 - 29. Students may also register in person August 2 - 6 and 9 - 13. Registration is scheduled for August 18-19, and the first day of classes is Monday, August 23.

** It's that time of year again! It's time for the Shelton State Foundation's annual fundraiser, the B-B-Q Bash. This year's Bash will be held on September 30 in the cafeteria area of the Martin Campus. A silent auction will be held from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. followed by dinner from 6 - 7:30 p.m. Bingo will begin at 7 p.m. and continue until 9 p.m. Tickets are \$20 per person. Make plans now to come out and support the Foundation. For tickets or for more information, contact the Foundation office, ext. 2298.*